

## CLEAN-ELEC

A new electric vacuum cleaner at a new price. Gives the more thorough electric suction cleaning that the best homes now require.

Club price \$25.00, with a discount of 10 per cent. for cash.

CLEAN-ELEC THOUGH WEIGHING ONLY ELEVEN POUNDS COMPARES FAVORABLY IN EFFICIENCY WITH SOME ELECTRIC CLEANERS COSTING FIVE TIMES AS MUCH.

CLEAN-ELEC is characterized by the following newly developed features that give it great facility of operation.

**CLEAN-ELEC SUCTION REGULATOR**—A graded scale bar makes it possible to adjust the regulator for the longest or the shortest nap rugs.

**CLEAN-ELEC MOTOR**—The durability of any electrical device depends largely upon motor construction. The CLEAN-ELEC motor is made of the very finest materials and fully guaranteed by the most reliable motor manufacturers in the country. It is placed horizontally and cannot come out of alignment because it is assembled independent of its housing.

**CLEAN-ELEC OIL RESERVOIRS**—These oil reservoirs constantly supply oil so that the owner of the machine is insured against overheated bearings. They need filling only once a year.

**CLEAN-ELEC TIPPING DEVICE**—This device enables you to raise the front of the machine when you desire to run from one rug to another.

**CLEAN-ELEC ENCASMENT**—Beautifully nicked pressed steel is used throughout the construction of the CLEAN-ELEC. More durable than any other material and non-crocking.

**CLEAN-ELEC EFFICIENCY**—By actual test CLEAN-ELEC displaces over 80 cubic feet of air per minute and 10 inches of vacuum on the water gauge.

Our representative will call upon you in a few days. Kindly allow him to demonstrate this Electric Cleaner to you, which will place you under no obligation if you do not buy. Phone us for time demonstration.

## B. W. HOOKER & CO.

UNDERTAKERS LICENSED EMBALMERS FUNERAL DIRECTORS  
HOSPITAL AMBULANCE SERVICE  
DAY OR NIGHT PHONE 87-11

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Visit Abbott's millinery department. October Columbia records now on sale at Russell's, the Red Cross Pharmacy. Thirty head of stock, 50 hogs and pigs to be sold at auction to-morrow afternoon at the farm of Fudger Camire, known as the Will Dix farm, two and one-half miles from the city on the road leading to Farwell cemetery. See ad. on page 7. D. A. Perry, auctioneer.—adv.

#### PLAINFIELD.

Remember the date of Washington fair, Oct. 2, 3 and 4. All indications are that it will be the most successful meeting the association has ever held. Tuesday evening, Oct. 3, there will be a dance at schoolhouse hall. Music, Carroll's orchestra. Under the present ruling of state board of health, children are allowed to attend this fair.—adv.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Bancroft inn, Plainfield, will serve next Sunday, Oct. 1, special Sunday dinner, 75c each. Telephone reservations.—adv.

Ladies' and misses' winter suits, coats, furs this date by express. Last word in medium-priced garments. To delay buying 30 days can but add 25 per cent to your costs. Our furniture, floor covering and household department, thanks to your generous patronage in the past, much more complete than ever. Sadlier, 10 Keith avenue. Phone 369-R.

#### GRANITEVILLE.

Vaudeville show in Gilbert's hall this evening, presenting a very neat talking singing and dancing act. Five reels of Universal moving pictures, "The Iron Claw," to-morrow night. Admission, 10c for everybody.—adv.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Black Cat winter hose at Abbott's. Cash paid for old gold and silver. F. E. Burr.

It's time to buy that new hat, better look to-morrow. Nourse & Wilson.—adv.

A daughter was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. John Pirretti of Ladd street.

A. A. Lamore returned to Barre last night, after spending several days in Portland, Me.

Mrs. George Straton left last night for Boston, where she will visit friends for a few days.

Among the business visitors in the city yesterday from Brookfield were Henry Hyde and Fred Ralph.

Mario Bielli of Plainfield returned to his home last night after visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Charles Berlinotti, who has been employed of late in a Quincy, Mass., stone shed, arrived in Barre last evening.

N. Vannetti of Pearl street left last night for Highgate Springs, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. L. J. Bruya of Maple Grove returned yesterday from a visit of several days with relatives in Brattleboro.

Dr. W. R. Rowland of East Corinth was a visitor in the city to-day, while on his way to Burlington for a brief business visit.

Miss Fannie Gilson, who has been passing a week with relatives on Merchant street, returned this morning to her home in Haverhill, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaPan of Brookfield passed through the city yesterday, en route to East Highgate, where they are to make their home.

Miss Lizzie Ottolini resumed her duties at the B. W. Goodfellow store yesterday, after a week's absence on account of the illness of her mother.

James K. Pirie of Williamstown was a visitor in the city this morning, while on his way to Burlington to attend the Democratic state convention.

George H. Chandler returned to his home in Northampton, Mass., last night after visiting friends on South Main street since the first of the week.

Mrs. R. Clerici of Waterbury arrived in the city last night and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Fontini, of Foss street for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lacy visited at the home of James Hillis yesterday, while en route from Montreal and Toronto, P. Q., to their home in Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Arthur E. Bugbee left the city this morning for Pittsfield, Mass., where she is to join her husband, who is employed there in a sporting goods store.

Mrs. Leona Pitkin and daughters, Misses Lena and Bessie Pitkin, of Jefferson street, returned to their home last night after visiting friends in Plainfield.

Richard E. Green was a business visitor in the city yesterday, while en route from his home in Boston to Burlington, where he will spend the remainder of the week.

John J. Kennedy, who has been passing several months in the Barre granite belt as a representative of the Ingersoll-Rand Co., is now working for the same concern in Seattle, Wash.

H. J. Markoff, who has been passing several days in Barre and Graniteville on business connected with the Sullivan Machinery Co.'s local branch, has returned to his home in West Rutland.

William F. Curtis, who has been passing several days in the city as the guest of his brother, A. B. Curtis, of North Main street, returned yesterday to his home in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Carter and little son of Keith avenue have returned to Barre from Lyndonville, where they were called by the illness and death of Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs. Squires, whose funeral was held yesterday.

A recent issue of the American Trap-shooter contains a group picture of trapshooters gathered in St. Louis, Mo., which includes a likeness of D. M. Barclay, who was one of the Vermont representatives in the national tournament.

George C. Adie, who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. James Adie of Franklin street, left last night for Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is to resume his duties in the medical department of the University of Michigan.

Onge Pero and A. Pinio, who have been employed in the Barre granite belt during the past year, left last night for Montreal, P. Q., where they will visit friends for a few days before going to Detroit, Mich., to work as stonecutters.

Rev. B. J. Lehigh of Franklin street, Rev. Dr. P. E. Piani of the Italian Baptist mission and Rev. N. C. Edwall of the Swedish Baptist mission have returned to the city from Chester, where they have been attending the annual Vermont state Baptist convention.

Progress on the completion of the granite power house which Boutwell, Milne & Varnum are erecting just west of their pond near the quarry plant in Graniteville indicates that the building will be in use within a few weeks. Granite has been used throughout in the foundation and walls of the building. Just now machinists are engaged in installing a compressor of large dimensions, the machinery being furnished by the Ingersoll-Rand Co. A delay of several days experienced in locating the compressor while it was en route to Barre resulted in its discovery in the local freight yards. Boilers have been placed in position at the new plant and other equipment is being installed as rapidly as it arrives.

William H. Snow, for several years manager of the City hotel, until that hostelry was destroyed by fire in January, 1914, having disposed of his interest in the New Hardwick hotel in Hardwick, has established himself in Plainfield, where he has assumed the management of the Bancroft inn. He succeeds J. J. Gardner, who has been in charge of the hotel business in Plainfield since the fall of 1915. Mr. Snow was accompanied to Plainfield by Mrs. Snow, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ruddy, and their son, Edmund Ruddy. The new manager contemplates several changes in the operating policy of the Bancroft hotel and will make a specialty of catering to touring parties and banquets.

One of the important games on the Spaulding football schedule will be staged to-morrow when Coach Charles Brown matches his young warriors with St. Johnsbury academy's eleven. The kick-off will take place at 3:15 o'clock. Report comes from Caledonia county that the academy has a team superior in many ways to its gridiron outfit of 1915 and if the report is true football fans may look forward to a better game than the two teams played here last year. When the high school squad got together for its daily practice Thursday afternoon, Coach Brown spent a good deal of the time in pointing out some of the defects revealed in Wednesday's game against Montpelier seminary. The Wednesday game convinced most of the spectators that Spaulding has a team of real worth that needs developing.

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## This Warm Weather Won't Last Long!

One year ago last Tuesday there was snow in the air. Only a few days now to weather that will remind us all of an approaching Vermont winter.

Are you prepared for that winter? Have you your coal in and your winter goods ready? This is a season when it will be expensive to wait. We will keep the price down to less than same goods are sold for in other cities. Even at that, we say, "buy early". This is a good time to take our word, to act on our judgment. We have a beautiful assortment—our prices are such as to invite a larger business.



### Munsing Underwear

The best Underwear that we know of is Munsing Underwear. It costs no more than poorer kinds; will wear longer and has a perfect fit; that it remains after the wash.

Munsing Wool Underwear has the Wool so closely identified with fine cotton threads that both look wool and the wear is increased 50 per cent.

Munsing Underwear has revolutionized the Underwear business. It has learned lots of manufacturers the art of better Underwear.

Munsing Underwear for children, 50c to \$1.00 each.

Munsing Underwear for ladies, 50c to \$3.00 per suit.

Munsing Underwear Suits were the first that were made to fit. At that time very few Union Suits were being sold. To-day nearly all wear them. They fit. People like them. Munsing underwear is the best that your money will buy.



## Lids for the Kids

Some of the smartest Hats for children that you will see this season are in our line, called "LIDS FOR KIDS." These Lids for Kids are well made, beautiful designs, at popular prices, selling at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. See these on our main floor, back of center counter.



## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Munsingwear at Abbott's. Federico Gomez went to Bethel this forenoon to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. J. Macneil of Maple Grove street left this morning for Burlington, where she will spend several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford, who formerly lived in Barre.

E. R. Williams, who has been visiting friends on North Main street during the past few days, left last night for Burlington, where he will visit at the home of B. F. Fayette for a few days before returning to his home in New York.

Neil Godfrey, the Barre & Chelsea railroad brakeman who underwent an operation for the amputation of his left leg as the result of an accident in a local freight yard Saturday, is recovering well from the first effects of the ordeal. Mr. Godfrey is a patient in the City hospital.

Through the co-operation of the aldermanic street committee and the Barre & Montpelier Traction & Power Co., a waiting station has been established at the terminus of the Washington street trolley line, near the intersection of Trow avenue and Nelson street. Patrons of the road will appreciate the accommodation when the weather is stormy as well as on pleasant days, inasmuch as the station furnishes a place to sit down when the cars are overdue. A site for the station was donated by an abutting land owner.

Dan A. Perry returned to his home on the Montpelier road last night after conducting the stock and tools sale at the Jesse Billings farm in Rochester yesterday. The farm, which was to have been sold, was not put up at auction. There was a good attendance and the tools brought very good prices, while the stock was knocked down at various amounts, some of the cattle bringing very good prices while others sold at ordinary values. From \$28 to \$45 were the sale prices of the milk cows while young stock ranged from \$15 to \$35. Many bargains in horse flesh were made, as some very good work horses sold at prices from \$50 to \$100.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Andes stoves and ranges are the best. Call at E. A. Prindle Co., Depot square. October Columbia records now on sale at Russell's, the Red Cross Pharmacy.

Mrs. Leon Carroll left this morning for Fort Ethan Allen, where she is to visit a relative who is enrolled in the 1st Vermont infantry.

George W. Gorman, G. H. Pape and E. J. Owens motored this morning to Burlington, where they attended the Democratic state convention. Rev. J. B. Reardon, the candidate for the general assembly, also attended the convention.

Twenty extra good cows, all black and white; 10 very fancy calves, registered Holstein bull and 50 hogs and pigs to be sold at auction on the Camire farm on the East Montpelier road to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. See ad. on page 7. D. A. Perry, auctioneer.—adv.

Work at drilling the artesian well for the Perry brothers on the Townsend pasture hill by the Bay State Artesian Well Co. was resumed this morning after about three weeks of inactivity. The company's employees lost the drill in the bottom of the well at a depth of about 70 feet from the earth's surface and have been handicapped on account of the hole being so near the size of the drill, forcing the company to bring special machinery in order to hoist the drill from the well's depth. The drill which had been lost weighs about 500 pounds.

Cutters and a few other workmen are occupying the newest of Batchelder meadow sheds, the plant recently erected for Johnson & Gustafson, although the firm is continuing operations in its Granite street quarters until the new plant is entirely equipped. Work under the hammer will be finished in the Granite street plant and by the time it is on the cars the firm expects to have its new quarters ready for occupancy. The air compressor and several surface cutting machines have been installed and work on two or three big jobs is under way in Batchelder's meadow. Discarded odds and ends of rough stock are being used to complete the grading about the new shed.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Lids for Kids at Abbott's. John Gauld left last night for Ausable, N. Y., where he has employment in the granite industry.

"Think of it! Milk bottled under sanitary conditions, warranted pure and sweet. Richard L. Lawless. Tel. 643-W."

Waitresses employed at Hotel Barre enjoyed a jolly party at the expense of William Forbes yesterday, when he engaged transportation to the Dog River Valley fair at Northfield. The fairgoers left soon after the noon hour and after spending a few hours on the grounds at Northfield returned home by way of Williamstown Gulf.

A number of Barre people motored to Berlin pond Wednesday evening for a clam bake on the east shore of the little lake. A committee consisting of D. M. Barclay and W. G. Reynolds had charge of the arrangements and what with an abundance of fixings the affair took on the nature of a genuine shore dinner.

St. John's court, No. 522, C. O. F., held its annual business meeting last evening and afterward enjoyed a social hour and smoker with refreshments. John Papin received his fourth election as chief ranger and the other officers who are to serve the court in 1916-1917 are as follows: Vice chief ranger, Lawrence O'Kelly; recording secretary, Patrick Hernon; financial secretary, Edward J. McNulty; treasurer, Arthur J. Lorange; speaker, Thomas Burke; trustee, James Fitzgerald. Balancing of the books and reports of officers indicated that the court enjoyed a prosperous year and with the finances in good condition, the outlook for the coming year is considered promising. The officers-elect will be installed at a meeting of the court to be held in October.

## Send the Children

If you cannot come, send the children. We welcome the children, we treat them right. We treat them courteously, we please them so that they love to come here. Ask your own child, ask the neighbor's child who does your errands. You can trust us to interpret your wants, knowing that we will use our best judgment to select the goods.

Drown's Drug Store, 48 North Main Street

## Houghton & Robins

Fresh Potato Chips in cartons, each ..... 10c  
Queen Olives in quart jars ..... 25c  
2 lbs. of Fresh Peanut Butter for ..... 25c  
Heinz Spaghetti, per can ..... 10c, 15c, 25c  
Pop Corn ..... 5 lbs. for 25c  
Tryphosa, all flavors ..... 3 for 25c  
3 packages of Post Toasties for ..... 25c  
Lucky Breakfast Food, per package ..... 25c  
Boiled Cider in quart bottles ..... 25c  
Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Pears; Tokay, Concord and Delaware Grapes.  
Dexter's Bread, fresh every morning.

### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Legs of Spring Lamb, per lb. .... 25c  
Lamb Fores, per lb. .... 20c  
Native Chickens, per lb. .... 30c-32c  
Native Fowls, per lb. .... 25c  
Western Beef Roasts, per lb. .... 20c-22c  
Western Round Steak, per lb. .... 28c  
Sirloin and Rump Steak, per lb. .... 35c-38c  
Butt Steak, per lb. .... 22c  
Native Veal and Pork.  
Sweet Potatoes, per peck ..... 30c  
Yellow Bantam Corn, per dozen ..... 15c  
Ripe Tomatoes ..... 6 lbs. for 25c  
Fancy Cranberries, per quart ..... 10c  
Celery, Lettuce, Spanish Onions, Hubbard Squash, Beets, Carrots, Turnips, etc.

## GOOD THINGS TO EAT Go Farther and Keep Better!

That's why knowing housewives like "our kind" of "good things to eat."

They long ago found there was no saving in cheap foods.

Heinz Pure Vinegar for pickling, per gallon ..... 25c  
Heinz Pure Cider Vinegar, per gallon ..... 30c  
20-lb. box Table Salt for ..... 25c  
Pickling Mixed Spices, 3 for ..... 25c  
Concord Grapes, per basket ..... 18c  
Ripe Tomatoes ..... 6 lbs. for 25c  
Celery, large bunches ..... 15c  
Cranberries, per quart ..... 10c  
Sweet Potatoes, per peck ..... 30c  
Large Fancy Yellow Onions, per peck ..... 45c  
Corn Flakes ..... 4 packages for 25c

CARLOAD OF FLOUR has arrived. Leave your order now.

Fresh Roasted Coffee, per lb. .... 19c  
Fresh-Made Peanut Butter, per lb. .... 20c

We make it every day.

Fresh Roasted Peanuts, per quart ..... 7c, 4 quarts 25c

CHICKENS AND FOWLS FOR SATURDAY

The Smith & Cumings Co.

## Good Values for Saturday

Don't get left on Canning Peaches. We have a nice lot of Elberta Free Stone Peaches, special price for Saturday, per basket ..... 90c  
Red Star Brand Sweet Potatoes, per peck ..... 30c  
Car of Onions just in; this lot contains a few bags of small Onions, per peck ..... 25c  
Ladd's Cream Bread, with the same real value, per loaf ..... 10c  
The best Sponge Cake you ever had, only ..... 10c  
Quality Cakes, all varieties in wax paper in carton ..... 10c  
Light, Dark and Fruit Loaf Cakes, per lb. .... 20c  
Short Bread made with the best butter, per dozen ..... 30c  
Baked Beans with native Pig Pork and Brown Bread for Saturday.  
Try a pound of our new Oleomargarine, per lb. .... 20c-25c

Fresh Native Spring Chickens, per lb. .... 30c  
Fresh Native Fowls, per lb. .... 23c-25c  
Western Beef Roast, per lb. .... 22c  
Smoked Shoulder, per lb. .... 17c  
The best hard dry Hubbard Squash you ever had, from the Dimock Farm, per lb. .... 3c  
Fresh Hamburg Steak, per lb. .... 15c  
Full line of Fresh Vegetables of all kinds.

Fresh-Smoked Finnan Haddies, per lb. .... 12c  
OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, CLAMS, ETC.

The F. D. Ladd Company